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·	In re Application of: Stack et al.				
	Application No: 09/498,098	Filed: February 4, 2000			
	For: METHODS OF PROTEIN DESTABILIZATION AND USES THEREOF				
	Group Art Unit: 1635	Exar	miner: J.E. Angell		

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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision mailed January 6, 2005 of the Examiner rejecting claims 1-9, 11-38, 40, 50 and 80-87.

1.	X Appeal Fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b))									
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	1						\$250.00			
2.	X	A petition and fee for an extension of time for reply to the rejection is attached.								
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3. X Enclosed is Check No. 574560 in the amount of \$1,520.00 which includes \$500.00 for the Notice of Appeal fee and \$1,020.00 for the three month extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other required fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 07-1896. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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